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DATES: Written comments should be received on or before July 21, 2008 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Glenn P. Kirkland, Internal Revenue Service, Room 6129, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the form and instructions should be directed to Carolyn N. Brown, at (202) 622-6688, or at Internal Revenue Service, Room 6129, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224, or through the Internet, at Carolyn.N.Brown@irs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Certain Gambling Winnings.

OMB Number: 1545-0238.

Form Number: Form W-2G.

Abstract: Internal Revenue Code sections 6041, 3402(q), and 3406 require payers of certain gambling winnings to withhold tax and to report the winnings to the IRS. IRS uses the information to verify compliance with the reporting rules and to verify that the winnings are properly reported on the recipient's tax return.

Current Actions: There are no changes being made to the form at this time.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations, state or local governments, and non-profit institutions.

Estimated Number of Responses: 4,104,771.

Estimated Time per Response: 19 min.

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 1,272,479.

The following paragraph applies to all of the collections of information covered by this notice:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a collection of information must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and tax return information are confidential, as required by 26 U.S.C. 6103.

Request for Comments: Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

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Glenn P. Kirkland,

IRS Reports Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Internal Revenue Service

[REG-124667-02, EE-35-85]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request for Regulation Project

AGENCY: Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Department of the Treasury, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13 (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). Currently, the IRS is soliciting comments concerning existing final regulation, REG-124667-02 (NPRM) Disclosure of Relative Values of Optional Forms of Benefit; and EE-35-85 (Final) Income Tax: Taxable Years Beginning After December 31, 1953; OMB Control Number Under The Paperwork Reduction Act; Survivor Benefits, Distribution Restriction and Various Other Issues Under the Retirement Equity Act of 1984.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before July 21, 2008 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Glenn P. Kirkland, Internal Revenue Service, Room 6129, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information or copies of the regulations should be directed to Carolyn N. Brown at Internal Revenue Service, Room 6129, 1111 Constitution Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20224, or at (202) 622-6688, or through the Internet at Carolyn.N.Brown@irs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title: Disclosure of Relative Values of Optional Forms of Benefit; and Income Tax: Taxable Years Beginning After December 31, 1953; OMB Control Number Under The Paperwork Reduction Act; Survivor Benefits, Distribution Restriction and Various Other Issues Under the Retirement Equity Act of 1984.

OMB Number: 1545-0928.

Regulation Project Number: REG-124667-02.

Abstract: The notices referred to in this NPRM are required by statute and by state and must be provided by employers to retirement plan participants to inform participants of their rights under the plan or under the law. Failure to timely notify participants of their rights may result in loss of plan benefits.

Current Actions: There are no changes to this existing regulation.

Type of Review: Extension of currently approved collection.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Estimated Total Annual Reporting Burden: 385,000.

Estimated Average Annual Burden per Respondent: 1 hour, 57 minutes.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 750,000.

The following paragraph applies to all of the collections of information covered by this notice:

An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless the collection of information displays a valid OMB control number. Books or records relating to a collection of information must be retained as long as their contents may become material in the administration of any Internal Revenue law. Generally, tax returns and tax return information are confidential, as required by 26 U.S.C. 6103.

Request for Comments: Comments submitted in response to this notice will be summarized and/or included in the

request for OMB approval. All comments will become a matter of public record.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology; and (e) estimates of capital or start-up costs and costs of operation, maintenance, and purchase of services to provide information.

Approved: May 9, 2008.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Privacy Act of 1974

AGENCY: Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice of amendment to system name and addition of routine uses.

SUMMARY: As required by the Privacy Act of 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(4), notice is hereby given that the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is amending the system name of the system of records currently identified as "Compensation, Pension, Education, and Rehabilitation Records—VA" (58VA21/22/28) to be identified as "Compensation, Pension, Education, and Vocational Rehabilitation Records—VA" (58VA21/22/28). The system of records is also amended by adding new routine uses for disclosure of identifying information on VA beneficiaries.

DATES: The proposed routine uses will be effective June 19, 2008 unless comments are received before this date that would result in a contrary determination.

ADDRESSES: Written comments may be submitted through <http://www.Regulations.gov>; by mail or hand delivery to the Director, Regulations Management (00REG), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Ave., NW., Room 1068, Washington, DC 20420; or by fax to (202) 273-9026. Copies of comments received will be available for public inspection in the

Office of Regulation Policy and Management, Room 1063B, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday (except holidays). Please call (202) 273-9515 for an appointment. In addition, during the comment period, comments may be viewed online through the Federal Docket Management System.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Brandye R. Terrell, Management and Program Analyst, Education Service (225C), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420, telephone (202) 461-9822. (This is not a toll-free number.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: VA

proposes to amend the system name of the system of records identified by system number 58VA21/22/28 to better identify the business lines covered by the system of records. The current name "Compensation, Pension, Education, and Rehabilitation Records—VA" is amended to read "Compensation, Pension, Education, and Vocational Rehabilitation Records—VA".

VA also proposes to add additional routine use disclosures to release identifying information on VA beneficiaries to:

1. The National Archives and Records Administration to perform records management inspections under title 44 U.S.C.

2. The Department of Justice (DoJ), court, or other administrative body if the information is relevant to DoJ's representation of the United States in any legal proceedings or if the use of the information is compatible with the purpose for which it was collected.

3. Individuals, organizations, private or public agencies, or other entities with whom VA has a contract, agreement, or subcontract to perform services as VA determines useful for the purposes of laws administered by VA.

4. Federal agencies to assist such agencies in preventing and detecting possible fraud or abuse by individuals in their operations and programs.

5. Appropriate agencies, entities, and persons VA determines are reasonably necessary to assist VA in preventing, minimizing, or remedying a suspected or confirmed compromise of information that may result in embarrassment or harm to the record subjects, harm to economic or property interests, identity theft or fraud, or harm to the security, confidentiality, or integrity of systems maintained by VA, other agencies, or entities that also rely on the potentially compromised information. This routine use will allow VA to provide necessary information in

response to a suspected or confirmed data breach, including conducting a risk analysis or other provision of credit protection as provided in 38 U.S.C. 5724.

The Privacy Act permits VA to disclose information about individuals without their consent for a routine use when the information will be used for a purpose that is compatible with the purpose for which the information was collected. In all of the proposed routine use disclosures, either the recipient of the information will use the information in connection with a matter relating to one of VA's programs, or will use the information to provide a benefit to VA, or disclosure is required by law.

VA has determined that release of information under circumstances such as those described above is a necessary and proper use of the information in this system of records and that the specific routine uses proposed for the transfer of this information are appropriate.

An altered system of records report and a copy of the revised system notice have been sent to the House of Representatives Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, the Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs, and the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), as required by 5 U.S.C. 552a(r) and guidelines issued by OMB (65 FR 77677, December 12, 2000).

The proposed new routine uses 65 through 69 will be added to the system of records entitled "Compensation, Pension, Education, and Rehabilitation Records—VA" (58VA21/22/28), as published in the **Federal Register** at 41 FR 9294 (3/3/76), and amended at 63 FR 37941 (7/14/98), 65 FR 37605 (6/15/00), 66 FR 47725 (9/13/01), and last amended at 70 FR 34186 (6/13/05), with other amendments as cited therein.

Approved: May 2, 2008.

Gordon H. Mansfield,

Deputy Secretary of Veterans Affairs.

Notice of Amendment of System of Records

The system identified as 58VA21/22/28 "Compensation, Pension, Education and Rehabilitation Records—VA" published in the **Federal Register** at 41 FR 9294 (3/3/76), amended at 63 FR 37941 (7/14/98), 65 FR 37605 (6/15/00), 66 FR 47725 (9/13/01), and last amended at 70 FR 34186 (6/13/05), with other amendments as cited therein, is revised to amend the system name and add new routine uses numbered 65 through 69 as follows: